Priday, June 17, 1853.

TO Mr. V. B. PALMER, is our author e for the Yazoo City Whig, in New er."

> WHIG TELLET. FOR THE LEGISLATURE. F. B. BVRRTS

compelled us to defer our intended trip till source some later day in the season.

You know, "The best laid plans of mice and men Ganacoff awry. And leave us only grief and pain For promised joy."

LETTERS ON APOSTOLICAL SUCCESSION, BEY .- This is an interesting work, for a copy of which we are indebted to the politeness of our friends Messra. Mann & Andrews, It is for sale at their Book and Drug Store.

THE OF HON. PAT. W. TOMPRINS .- It nonnce the death of the Hon. P. Tompkins. He died in San Francisco, California. on the from paralysis.

Our friend "Constantia" gives us an affectionate farewell and reads us a wholesome lecture on "Woman's Rights" and Union. wrongs. Her short note aprings questions that might be discussed at length and to little or great profit as the case might be. We were only jesting, of course, when we proposed representing the ladies of Mississippi in the Woman's Convention; but if you put it seriously, this question of Woman's rights and Man's oppression, we shall reply in the non-committal words of Sir Wal- and they have called for the numbers of our fully resisted the reckleess tendencies of the ter de Coverly: "A great deal might be paper containing those articles, thus our neigh- present locofoco party in their first developsaid on both sides." Many and sincere bors have been the means of calling more genthanks notwithstanding, for the kind fare- eral attention to those articles than they might

ory and Pleasant Reminiscence

paper, and applies the onion so pitiously that we could not have the heart to leave him, and so bye," nor to reply to his historical interrogato- they have vindicated the outraged dignity of ries. We will however, ask him one question, the party to which they have the honor of ich has nothing to do with such old fogies as Alexander the Great or Jack the Giant Kill- very suitable to the purpose. er, but of a little bit of modern history that ocdred miles from Yazoo City.

Id two large for him and he sat like Othello Democrats and Whigston he won Desdemons, recounting the danes he had passed by flood and field, the shin-

the martyrs is the seed of

m the office with the good wishes their

as far as it concerns that man, and we pocket timid persons have said, that we find ourthe twelve dollars of our lost subscriber with sad selves in a hopeless minority, and that all readers good bye, intending before this to his pocket to keep the nameless one out! and be on our way northward. But circum- and, alust because we know it is the last, the stances over which we had no control, have very last, we shall ever get from the same

Seriously, though we are not rich, nor thoug a descendant of the great martyr, ambitious a martyr's crown in any cause, we would rather lose a hundred paying subscribers than to Poote. We have not filled our columns with majority. The popular vote is as follows: ns of him, or even noticed his triumdressed to Bishop Greene, by Rev. R. Ap- phant progress in the North, where he is prosecuting his Senatorial canvass, because both he and A. G. Brown, the two candidates, are Democrats & can fight out their battlesi n the Demperatic counties on their own ground; and bebause as yet we are not certain but that there will be a Whig candidate in the field-in which this county and district will support him is with feelings of deep regret that we an- to the end of the chapter. But if the contest lies between the patriotic and able defender of the Union faith of '51 and A. G. Brown, we 8th of May, after a prestration of 3 months need scarcely say which this paper and its patrone of Yazoo will support. We will say, however, in the face of both Whig and Democratic aspirants, Gen. Foote deserves the seat in Senate which he vacated for the sake of

Democratic Tendency.

reply to our articles on the subject of the favorable opportunity shall present itself. An Political Tendency of the Country," and we army of 1,387,000 veterans certainly forms we know it has had the effect of exciting the force equal to almost any emergency. curiosity of some who do not take the Whig. The Whigs of the country have manotherwise have received. We are also gratifi-Our Neighbor's Farewell-Past His- that we are so readily afforded such a convinctuted Junior of the Democrat bids us vated manner in which the editors have express- submit sowardly to locofoco misrule? ed themselves in their replies, renders any fur- bandon their principles in this hour of dangave out our trip on the Afton. We regret we ther confimation of THAT FACT, at least, entire- ger, and desert their country, when that have not time to notice all the different ly unnecessary. It will be unnecessary for country is in peril? It cannot be! No Whig, counts in his interesting and affecting "good- them to write any more upon this subject, as claiming membership, in a style and manner

ourred not a hundred years ago and not a hun- of abandoning the arguments we first advanced of President of the United States astonish and have used neither argument, wit or sareasm. ed himself and the whole country, includas he remember that somebody one rainy Weil, if we have not you appear to attach a ling the Locofocos themselves. The sincere can, has created a mighty muss in the camp could have been present,—Gov. Foote spoke Resolved, That a plant sidewalk be made great deal of importance to those "senseless" and honest of our party, who have been When winds blew high-not on Helles waters," articles, judging from the space occupied in true to their creed, and who have been movbut on Silver Creek, not exactly playing Leanyour paper in rebuting them. We endeavored ed by patriotic considerations in resisting but certain it is Reub has created considerder and swimming over the "Surge that kept to discuss the subject upon its merits, and what have for a more or an a more or a m him from his love," but ingloriously falling into we have written is the candid expression of our it! And does he remember how the fair lady who sentiments, uninfluenced either by party spite, was no Hero, received him dripping on the or political disappointment. The composition banks in world plight, and how the military of those articles has been dictated solely by a a policy they believe to be fraught with inest of a U.S. A. Colonel was rumaged for desire to awaken an interest upon the subject jury to the people, and dishonor and disan old suit of regimentals which had flourished of which they treat, and thus, if possible, to grace to the country! around a certain beseiged baggage waggon in promote and accure the accomplishment of exico, and how when donned, they were a their object—the common good of all, both

DEAREST MADAM:-Your 'Good-bye" has been received with many sighs! yet as so much g locsely upon him! And how, apparent happiness seems to be spread before

George B. Dixon has been removed ladies of the South have no grievances they he Post Office of Yazoo City, and would not readily submit to their chivalrous ed in his place. Mr. Dixon dress and arrange; they do not think it in go taste to assume the Bloomer either in senti- house in New York, expresses a strong denost excellent Postmaster and ment or costume, and I think I may add, as sire to have our trade with Mexico increas-

eringly of "what was the Whit be able to rally its former strength. This interrogates and comments as follows: may be, to the editor of that paper, a very senseless and ridiculous one.

are aware of dreams of dissolving our pre- and a curly-headed baby whose memory me that, and I shall have hope. I have sigsent organization. We are aware that som asure pleasure because it makes one feel future efforts may be vain. But all such so comfortable to have just enough change in persons take a very auperficial view of the subject. We admit that we were badly heaten in the late Presidential election, so far as the electoral vote was concerned. But when we look at the popular vote, we perceive at once that a very small per centage of change would alter the result; for many of the States which gave their electoral halp circulate any slander or abuse of General vote to Gen. Pierce, did it by a very small

For Pierce. 1,607,723 1,386,934 For Scott, For all others. 188,213

3,162,869 On the majority system, 1,581,435 would necessary to a choice, which is 26.287 less than Pierce received. On the calculation made above it will be seen that Gen. Pierce's majority on the whole popular vote is only about 8-10 one per cent; so that a change of 4-10 of one per cent, or 4 votes in 1,000, would have defeated his election on the majority system. Though there was a perfect defection among Mrs. Swisshelm, let us know where the thouthe whigs at the late election, yet Gen. Scott sands of foreigners come from who fly from than was given to Gen. Taylor, Mr. Clay, or any other candidate, either whig or democrat, Pierce only excepted. Why, then, should whigs despair? With a force of 1,387,000 tried men, Our neighbors of the Democrat have devot- we are in a good situation to make not only ed considerable space in their two last issues in firm stand, but a successful onset, whenever a are gratified that they have done so, because very good nucleus around which may rally a

ments and they are not prepared to give up to them now, when they assume a more frightful shape, and have acquired a more ed from the peculiar nature of their articles, and nave acquired a more convention that he would not be choked off ers, and thanked the Lord that he had per- be held in the same manner as the town mitted me thus to plorify His name." cere up to the present time, and have done in that way-that he had very satisfactory battle manfully for the sake of principle, evidence that he was the choice of the entire an affectionate farewell in last Wednesday's ocratic party. The sensible, chaste, and ele-

who has labored for the right, and has get control of the Convention. He would the recklessness of President Polk, will but would appeal to the great Convention prostrate himself at the feet of Franklin Our neighbors, in their last issue accuse us Pierce, whose selection for the high office awless redicalism, will never for a moment entertain the idea of prostrating themselves rified.' at the footstool of power, or acquiescing in

nications presented from the Executive Com- fight" between them. Now, if Reuben ed mittee was a corespondence between the "being the strongest man" can, gerrymander Gov. Foote, we believe, in his speech, good. But you will get over this, at the North, and a safe return to the home of could be recognized by the Government, all proceedings at all? We deferentially sub-

> den, the newly appointed United States Min- power" should so often act by contraries in side .- Monroe Democrat. ister to Mexico, in a letter to a commercial the ranks of the "harmonious."

and ridicules the idea, that it will ever again two runaway negroes from our paper, and the following incident:- "Said I to a friend of his health, he replied, "They do say there's

flattering delusion, but it is certainly a very Joe and March came from previous to be- ful man in the days of his sobriety - What ing purchased in New Orleans? Did they leave father, mother, wife children up No member of the Whig party, that we "Ole Kentuck?" Maybe Joe left a cabin March was longing for "the old folks at

> As we are part Irish, we answer your question by asking another: Have you any dea where the boy came from that was recently advertised in a Philadelphia paper as a runaway apprentice to a shomaker? We have mislaid the paper and forget exactly the amount of the reward offered, but believe it was ten dollars. Do you not think dare not go to see, for fear his master will find him there and drag him back into service. And where do you think that poor white boy is gone with his little pack upon his back and famine in his face and a dread fear in his heart? He will become a sailor or a common drudge in a foreign land, and perhaps never see home and kindred again. If he was a negro, the Abolitionists would interfere to buy his freedom and let him go but, alas! he is white, and philanthropy is not interested in his case. And will you mother, father, sister, brother or children again. O, ye that strain at a gnat and swallow a camel without making a face, remember that the world is full of wrong and sorrow and toil, and if slavery was banished from the earth to-day, misery would abound, and partings and farewells would fill the land as much as now. The millineum is not yet quite come. Wait a little longer.

> > Gen. Reuben Davis.

When the late Democratic Convention re fused to nominate Gen. Davis for Congress candidate, and that he was not willing that the northern counties should be cheated out of their choice by a few tricksters, who, by intrigue and artful management contrived to withstood the iron will of Gen. Jackson, or submit to no such intrigue and management, of the people on the day of election, to candid expression of sentiment on all the im- as Market Master, \$50, was presented and whose decision he would bow with respect, portant points of issue between himself and on motion allowed. and none other. Well, he has appealed and his determination to go to Congress, if he of the "harmonious." How this breach feelingly of the resolution of censure which from North Alley to Edward Bowman's corwill be healed we know not and care less, our legislature passed on him, and appealed ner, and that the Clerk advertise for pro-

"Fight dog, fight bear,

and his party, on their expedition to the Ar- date of 1st. inst.

ment of cases in configuration and the good willing the good will the good will consider th

A DRUNGARD'S OPINION OF THE MAINE WHEN A witty English turday Visiter, Mrs. Law .- Dr. Snodgrass, at one of the recent faulter, after his recall, was saked, on his Swisshelm copies in full an advertisement of aniversary meetings, in New York, related arrival home, if he left India, on account of mine in Baltimore-a man of talent in one something wrong in the chest." "Has Mrs. Prewett any idea of where of the professions, a well-meaning and usethink you of the Maine Law for Maryland?' Think replied he; 'I think well of it. Give tugged at his heart-strings, and maybe ned your pledges over and over again, but only to break them as often. Shut up these drinking-houses with your Maine Law prohibition-take away from my eyes these attractive saloons and sparkling decanters remove the sight of the fumes of their contents-these Satanic temptations to ruin, and then, but not till then, I shall hope to emain a sober man-to be myself again. For my own part, my friends, such appeals have an irresistable force with me. I think very likely he has a mother and father, per- that it is high time we had legal prohibition haps starving in a northern hovel, that he everywhere, when the very inebrates themselves are imploring its assistance for their agonized, desponding soul!"

SINGULAR TRAGEDY AT SOMERVILLE MASS. in Somerville, Mass., Mrs. Strong; an aged lunatic, was found dead beside a bed, in the room of Mrs. Jameson, another lunatic who at the time of the discovery, was kneel- Town Conneil, and that they recommend ing on the bed, in the attitude of prayer, that it should not be allowed: all of which Mrs. Jameson, on being questioned as to is respectfully submitted, and was, on mohome to his poor brokenhearted mother; the death of Mrs. Strong, gave the following tion, received and adopted.

was her constant habit-it occurred to me stock in the Yazoo and Big Black Plank that the Lord had delivered her into my Road Company, beg leave to report, that in hands, and that if there was any more light the opinion of the committee, the most vireceived 1,386,934 votes; which is a larger vote their own soil, driven into exile by a master in the other world she should see it. She tal interest of the town is greatly dependent. none can resist-hunger! and never see had been plaguing me for many months with on the extension of the Road, and your this inquiry, and now one of the attendants committee believe without a pretty liberal being gone out, and the other preparing din- subscription on the part of this Board, its ner. I determined to be rid of the annoy- further extension is extremely doubtful. If ance. I accordingly slipped out into the such subscription is made, your committee gallery and invited Mrs. S. into my room. believe it will give an impetus to the work She came with me willingly; she had on which will insure its success. All citizens two caps; I took them off tied them round and property holders of our city are deeply her neck, the strings broke. She stood still, interested in this important work and all are close to me making no resistance, so I knew to derive advantage from it, and it is but that the Lord had given her to me; I then fair that all should contribute and that can put my hands around her throat and chok- be effected only by a subscription by the ed. I then laid her down on the floor soft- Board with the consent of a majority of the ly, so as to make no noise, and took off my qualified voters of the town. Your comstocking and put it around her neck, pulling mittee therefore recommend the passage of as hard as I could-but it was no use, she the following resolution: for the State at large, and conferred the was already dead; I felt her pulse, and knew Resolved. That the polls be opened in honor on a "new man," Reuben told the it. While I was doing this I said my pray- Yazoo City on Saturday, the 28th inst. to mitted me thus to glorify His name,"

igating the matter. The deceased Mrs. Board subscribing for \$15,000 in Plank hopelessly insane.

Governor Foote's Speech. Gov. Foote delivered a very courteous adopted with the resolution. and dignified speech, of some two hours, and last. Some parts of the Governor's speech ed, and on motion, laid on the table. pleased us, and some did not. His frank and Gov. Brown his great rival for senatorial honors highly creditable to him. We would adopted: have been much gratified if the Governor By J P Bailey, to the people for its recission. The demo- posals for doing the same-proposals to be cratic press have said many hard things of opened at the June meeting. him-all of which we hope are forgiven and | Resolved, That the Mayor and the Attorforgotten: but as it now stands he is a dis- ney of the Board, F W Quackenboss, Esq. Gen. Davis seems exceedingly anxious to graced man in the eyes of world—the cele-secure a seat in Congress. And Mr. Barks- brated resolution of censure stands unrepealdale, the Democratic nominee, it seems is him for desiring to blot out this foul stain on Resolved. That the Stalls in the Market not indisposed to get into the same pew, for his public career. No doubt the legislature be sold for one year from the 1st of June they are both pressing their claims before was actuated by honesty and sincere motives under the supervision of the Street commit-THE BAPTIST MISSIONARY UNION, lately the people in the northern part of the State, in censuring him; but they acted on the im- tee, at the Market House on Saturday, the in session at Albany, was attended by one and judging from the newspaper notices of pulse of the moment, without giving the sub- 28th inst., at 12 o'clock, M., and that the thousand delegates. Amongst the commutheir speeches, it is a perfect 'Kilkenny cattheir sovereign capacity aftewards decidCourt House, Market House and Post Office

We do not wish to be understood as advocating the claims of Gov. Foote for the office And now, Madam, as one of Mississippils causes of complaint would cease. The mit these points to the Democracy. This to which he aspires; neither are we in favor the staken the better it is for daughters, and as one of your "lady friends," Board recommended that it shall be by the is a family quarrel over the spoils and we of Gov. Brown; for we confidently expect allow me to thank you for your proffered, and appointment of a Board of five in Germany, would not intrude ourselves within reach of another Richmond in the field. If Governwho, in co-operation with the Board here, the hovering broomsticks. We can exclaim, or Foote and Gov. Brown, however were the only candidates for the high and responsis of our State before the "Wo- should be authosized to license colporteurs however, with the woman in the bear fight, ble office, we should not hesitate to express our preference if necessary. But we intend occupying neutral ground unless some ex-OUR RELATIONS WITH MEXICO.—Col. Glads- We are only astonished that the "cohesive traordinary cause, shall induce us to take Vicksburg, Yazoo & Tillatoba

> United States and Mexico .- The Wash DEPARTURE OF DR. KANE'S ARTIC EXPEDI- ington correspondent of the New York Jour-TION.—The brig Advance, with Dr. Kane nal of Commerce writes as follows under

MARRIED-On the 2d inst, by the Ray, J. W. Purvis, Mr. W. M. PICKETT of Louis siana, to Miss MARCARET C. Scott, of this

The printers fee is thankfully acknowledged, and the happy pair have our best wishes for continued health and happiness

Council Proceedings. CALLED MEETING. YAZOO CITY, May 13, 1853. Present-P. O'Donnell, President:

J. P. Bailey, J. H. Wesling, A. Smith, Thes. Metzler, J. J. Michie. G. W. Dougharty-Councilmen. The meeting was called to order, and the minutes of the last meeting were read, and on motion adopted.

The committee on Accounts to whom was refered an account of Wm E Pugh for mon--On Wednesday, at the Lunatic Asylum, ey paid out by him for cutting ditch in North street, amounting to five dollars, beg leave to report that, from all the information in their possession that said expenditure was done without authority of the Board of

The committee to whom was referred the "I heard Mrs. Strong ask for light this propriety of the Corporation subscribing for

elections, to take the sense of the qualified The trustees of the Institution are inves- voters of the town upon the propriety of the printed thereon, "plank road" or "no plank

On motion, the report was received and

The protest of sundry citizens against a half in length, in our city, on Saturdary purchasing a Weigher's yard was present-The acc't of John Hagman for services

The following resolution was offered and

Resolved, That the Clerk put up notices American Minister and King of Prussia in the said Mr. Barksdale out of said pew and made a good impression on minds of the at the Court House, Post Office and Market didn't love him for the "dangers he or anything else, he loved her or anything else, he loved her or plied him or not. No wender that the persecutions to be spread before any had been subjected.

The was warmly received, and at pew and of the persecutions to which the foist himself into it, if he can, will it not be a private dinner given him, we beheld many friends to detain you. From my heart I bid faces seated around the festive board sipping. The King had exhibited the kindest spirit. he Aften is gone; cry. dear, it ing you a joyous meeting with your relations and declared that, if the Baptists would efto be opened at the regular meeting in June. On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O'DONNELL, President, GEO. M. POWELL, City Clerk.

Letters to Bishop Green N Apostolical Succession, by Rev. R. Ar-BEY, just reaeived and for sale by MANN & ANDREWS. June 17, '53.

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Vicksburg, Satartia, Yazoo Greenwood, Leffore, Loco toba Packet,